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BHGL Case No. <u>9974/50</u> (Alticor Ref. No. BH2090.P1)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Argenbright et al.

Serial No:

09/515,860

Examiner: J. Zurita

Filed:

February 29, 2000

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For: ELECTRONIC COMMERCE

TRANSACTIONS WITHIN A MARKETING SYSTEM THAT

MAY CONTAIN A

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated October 3, 2003 for a period of 2 month(s).

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claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.			§1.27.		
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	Respectfully submitted,				
Dated	1:	February 17, 2004	Regi	stration No. 42,711 rney for Applicant	
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